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PHARMACEOLOGICALLY ACTIVE BIPHOSPHONATES, PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION THEREOF AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS THEREFROM

CASE:

BA-19650

EXAMINER:

F. ABRAMSON

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 10, 1984, kindly enter the following remarks.

REMARKS

The Examiner has requested restriction between:

- Claims 1 7 drawn to a pharmaceutical composition.
- Claims 8 9 drawn to a process of preparation.
- 3. Claims 10 12 drawn to compounds of formula 1.
- 4. Claim 13 drawn to a halo-substituted bisphosphonic acid.